

# **Appendix D: Sources of Technical Assistance**

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# Sources of Technical Assistance

## 1. Government Agencies

Office for Civil Rights (OCR)  
U.S. Department of Education  
330 C Street SW  
Washington, D.C. 20202  
800/421-3481  
[www.ed.gov/offices/OCR](http://www.ed.gov/offices/OCR)

Through the field offices below, OCR provides technical assistance and resolves complaints of discrimination, including harassment, based on race, national origin, sex, disability, and age.

### Eastern Division:

Office for Civil Rights, Boston Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
J. W. McCormack Post Office and Courthouse, Room 222  
Boston, MA 02109 4557  
617/223-9662; FAX 617/223-9669  
TDD 617/223-9695  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Boston@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Boston@ed.gov)  
(Serving Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont)

Office for Civil Rights, New York Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
75 Park Place, 14th Floor  
New York, NY 10007 2146  
212/637-6466; FAX 212/264-3803  
TDD 212/637-0478  
E-mail: [OCR\\_NewYork@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_NewYork@ed.gov)  
(Serving New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands)

Office for Civil Rights  
Philadelphia Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
The Wanamaker Building  
100 Penn Square East, Suite 515  
Philadelphia, PA 19107  
215/656-8541; FAX 215/656-8605  
TDD 215/656-8604  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Philadelphia@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Philadelphia@ed.gov)  
(Serving, Delaware, Maryland, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, West Virginia)

### Southern Division:

Office for Civil Rights, Atlanta Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
61 Forsyth St. SW, Suite 19T70  
Atlanta, GA 30303 3104  
404/562-6350; FAX 404/562-6455  
TDD 404/562-6454  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Atlanta@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Atlanta@ed.gov)  
(Serving Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee)

Office for Civil Rights, Dallas Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
1999 Bryan Street, Suite 2600  
Dallas, TX 75201  
214/880-2459; FAX 214/880-3082  
TDD 214/880-2456  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Dallas@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Dallas@ed.gov)  
(Serving Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Texas)

Office for Civil Rights, District of Columbia Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
1100 Pa. Ave. NW, Rm. 316  
P.O. Box 14620  
Washington, D.C. 20044 4620  
202/208-2545; FAX 202/208-7797  
TDD 202/208-7741  
E-mail: [OCR@ed.gov](mailto:OCR@ed.gov)  
(Serving North Carolina, Virginia, Washington, DC)

### Midwestern Division:

Office for Civil Rights, Chicago Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
111 N. Canal Street, Suite 1053  
Chicago, IL 60606 7204  
312/886-8434; FAX 312/353-4888  
TDD 312/353-2540  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Chicago@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Chicago@ed.gov)  
(Serving Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, Wisconsin)

Office for Civil Rights, Cleveland Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
600 Superior Avenue East  
Bank One Center, Suite 750  
Cleveland, OH 44114 2611  
216/522-4970; FAX 216/522-2573  
TDD 216/522-4944  
[OCR\\_Cleveland@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Cleveland@ed.gov)  
(Serving Michigan, Ohio)

Office for Civil Rights  
Kansas City Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
10220 North Executive Hills Boulevard  
8th Floor  
Kansas City, MO 64153 1367  
816/880-4200; FAX 816/891-0644  
TDD 816/891-0582  
E-mail: [OCR\\_KansasCity@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_KansasCity@ed.gov)  
(Serving Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota)

### Western Division:

Office for Civil Rights, Denver Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
Federal Building, Suite 310  
1244 Speer Boulevard  
Denver, CO 80204 3582  
303/844-5695; FAX 303/844-4303  
TDD 303/844-3417  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Denver@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Denver@ed.gov)  
(Serving Arizona, Colorado, Montana, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming)

Office for Civil Rights  
San Francisco Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
Old Federal Building  
50 United Nations Plaza, Room 239  
San Francisco, CA 94102 4102  
415/437-7700; FAX 415/437-7783  
TDD 415/437-7786  
E-mail: [OCR\\_SanFrancisco@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_SanFrancisco@ed.gov)  
(Serving California)

Office for Civil Rights, Seattle Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
915 Second Avenue, Room 3310  
Seattle, WA 98174 1099  
206/220-7900; FAX 206/220-7887  
TDD 206/220-7907  
E-mail: [OCR\\_Seattle@ed.gov](mailto:OCR_Seattle@ed.gov)  
(Serving Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, American Samoa, Guam, the Pacific Region)

### Safe and Drug-Free Schools Program (SDFS)

**400 Maryland Ave. SW  
Washington, D.C. 20202  
202/260-3954  
[www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/SDFS](http://www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/SDFS)**

SDFS is a component of the U.S. Department of Education that provides discretionary and formula grant funding to state and local education agencies and other public and private organizations for a wide range of school and community based drug and violence prevention efforts.

**U.S. Department of Justice  
Community Relations Service (CRS)  
600 E Street NW  
Suite 2000  
Washington, D.C. 20530  
202/305-2935**

CRS provides conflict resolution, conciliation, mediation, training, and a variety of other services to schools and communities to prevent or resolve conflicts arising from actions or policies perceived to be discriminatory on the basis of race or national origin.

Regional Offices - Community Relations Service

- I. Boston, MA 617/424-5715
- II. New York, NY 212/264-0700
- III. Philadelphia, PA 215/597-2344
- IV. Atlanta, GA 404/331-6883
- V. Chicago, IL 312/353-4391
- VI. Dallas, TX 214/655-8175
- VII. Kansas City, MO 816/427-7434
- VIII. Denver, CO 303/844-2973
- IX. San Francisco, CA 415/744-6565
- X. Seattle, WA 206/220-6700

#### State Offices of the Attorney General

The State Attorneys General serve as chief legal officers to state government branches and agencies and are the principal legal representative of the public interest for all citizens.

Alabama  
Attorney General of Alabama  
Office of the Attorney General  
State House  
11 South Union Street  
Montgomery, AL 36104  
334/242-7401

Alaska  
Attorney General of Alaska  
Office of the Attorney General  
Post Office Box 110300  
Diamond Courthouse  
Juneau, AK 99811-0300  
907/465-3600

American Samoa  
Attorney General of American Samoa  
Office of the Attorney General  
Post Office Box 7  
Pago Pago, AS 96799  
684/633-4163

Arizona  
Attorney General of Arizona  
Office of the Attorney General  
1275 West Washington Street  
Phoenix, AZ 85007  
602/542-4266

Arkansas  
Attorney General of Arkansas  
Office of the Attorney General  
200 Tower Building, 323 Center Street  
Little Rock, AR 72201-2610  
501/682-2007

California  
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Office of the Attorney General  
1300 I Street, Suite 1740  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
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Department of Law  
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Denver, CO 80203  
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55 Elm Street  
Hartford, CT 06141-0120  
860/808-5318

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Office of the Attorney General  
Carvel State Office Building  
820 North French Street  
Wilmington, DE 19801  
302/577-8400

District of Columbia  
District of Columbia  
Corporation Counsel  
Office of the Corporation Counsel  
441 4th Street NW  
Washington, DC 20001  
202/727-6248

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Attorney General of Florida  
Office of the Attorney General  
The Capitol  
PL 01  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050  
850/487-1963

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Office of the Attorney General  
40 Capitol Square S.W.  
Atlanta, GA 30334-1300  
404/656-4585

Guam  
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Judicial Center Building  
120 West O'Brien Drive  
Agana, GU 96910  
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Honolulu, HI 96813  
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210 State House  
700 West Jefferson  
Boise, ID 83720-1000  
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500 South Second Street  
Springfield, IL 62706  
217/785-2771

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Indiana Government Center South  
Fifth Floor  
402 West Washington Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46204  
317/233-4386

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Office of the Attorney General  
Hoover State Office Building  
Des Moines, IA 50319  
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301 West Tenth Street  
Topeka, KS 66612-1597  
785/296-2215

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State Capitol, Room 116  
Frankfort, KY 40601  
502/696-5300

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Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4095  
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Augusta, ME 04333  
207/626-8800

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Baltimore, MD 21202-2202  
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Department of Justice  
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Jackson, MS 39205-0220  
601/359-3692

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Supreme Court Building  
207 West High Street  
Jefferson City, MO 65101  
573/751-3321

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Justice Building, 215 North Sanders  
Helena, MT 59620-1401  
406/444-2026

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State Capitol  
Post Office Box 98920  
Lincoln, NE 68509-8920  
402/471-2682

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Office of the Attorney General  
Old Supreme Court Building  
198 South Carson Street  
Carson City, NV 89701  
702/687-4170

New Hampshire  
Attorney General of New Hampshire  
Office of the Attorney General  
State House Annex, 33 Capitol Street  
Concord, NH 03301-6397  
603/271-3655

New Jersey  
Attorney General of New Jersey  
Office of the Attorney General  
Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex  
25 Market Street, P.O.B. 080  
Trenton, NJ 08625  
609/292-4925

New Mexico  
Office of the Attorney General  
Bataan Memorial Bldg., Room 260  
407 Galisteo Street  
Santa Fe, NM 87501  
505/827-6000

New York  
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State Capitol  
Albany, NY 12224  
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Department of Justice  
114 W. Edenton  
Raleigh, NC 27601  
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1162 Court Street NE  
Salem, OR 97310  
503/378-6002

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Harrisburg, PA 17120  
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San Juan, PR 00902-0192  
787/721-7700

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401/274-4400

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Rembert C. Dennis Office Building  
Post Office Box 11549  
Columbia, SC 29211-1549  
803/734-3970

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Office of the Attorney General  
500 East Capitol  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070  
605/773-3215

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Nashville, TN 37243  
615/741-6474

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Austin, TX 78711-2548  
512/463-2191

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State Capitol, Room 236  
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-0810  
801/538-1326

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Office of the Attorney General  
109 State Street  
Montpelier, VT 05609-1001  
802/828-3173

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900 East Main Street  
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Charleston, WV 25305  
304/558-2021

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Office of the Attorney General  
State Capitol  
Post Office Box 7857  
Suite 114 East  
Madison, WI 53707-7857  
608/266-1221

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Attorney General of Wyoming  
Office of the Attorney General  
State Capitol Building  
Cheyenne, WY 82002  
307/777-7844

## 2. Private and other Organizations

**National Association of Attorneys General (NAAG)**  
**750 First Street NE, Suite 1100**  
**Washington, D.C. 20002**  
**202/326-6000**  
**[www.naag.org](http://www.naag.org)**

NAAG is the membership organization of the State Offices of the Attorney General. Its mission is to help Attorneys General respond effectively, individually and collectively, to emerging state and federal issues. NAAG's Bias Crimes Task Force operates in conjunction with the U.S. Department of Justice and other agencies to provide information and training to police departments, schools, and community organizations to prevent and prosecute bias crimes.

## Desegregation Assistance Centers

Desegregation Assistance Centers are funded by the U.S. Department of Education to provide free or low cost technical assistance to school districts on a wide range of equity issues, including racial and sexual harassment.

New England Desegregation Assistance Center for Equity in Education  
Brown University  
144 Wayland Ave.  
Providence, RI 02906  
Telephone: 401/351-274-9548; FAX 401/351-9594, [www.brown.edu/Research/The\\_Educational\\_Alliance/DAC/dac.html](http://www.brown.edu/Research/The_Educational_Alliance/DAC/dac.html)  
(Serving Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont)

Equity Assistance Center  
The Metropolitan Center for Urban Education  
New York University  
82 Washington Square, Suite 72  
New York, NY 10003  
Telephone: 212/998-5100; FAX 212/995-4199, [www.nyu.edu/education/metrocenter/eac/eac.html](http://www.nyu.edu/education/metrocenter/eac/eac.html)  
(Serving New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands)

The Mid-Atlantic Center  
5454 Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 655  
Chevy Chase, MD 20815  
Telephone: 301/657-7741; FAX 301/657-8782, [www.maec.org](http://www.maec.org)  
(Serving Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia)

Southeastern Equity Center  
Miami Equity Associates, Inc.  
8603 S. Dixie Highway, Suite 304  
Miami, FL 33143  
Telephone: 305/669-0114; FAX 305/669-9809, E-mail: [sedac@aol.com](mailto:sedac@aol.com)  
(Serving Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, South Carolina, Tennessee, North Carolina)

Programs for Educational Opportunity  
University of Michigan  
1005 School of Education  
Ann Arbor, MI 48109  
Telephone: 734/763-9910;  
FAX 734/763-2137, [www.umich.edu/~eqtynet](http://www.umich.edu/~eqtynet) (Serving Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin)

Intercultural Development Research Association  
5835 Callahan, Suite 350  
San Antonio, TX 78210  
Telephone: 210/684-8180; FAX 210/684-5389, [www.idra.org](http://www.idra.org)  
(Serving Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas)

Midwest Desegregation Assistance Center  
Kansas State University  
401 Bluemont Hall  
Manhattan, KS 66506  
Telephone: 785/532-6408; FAX 785/532-5548, <http://mdac.edu.ksu.edu>  
(Serving Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska)

Educational Equity Center  
The Metropolitan State College of Denver  
Campus Box #3  
1100 Stout Street, Suite 800  
Denver, CO 80204  
Telephone: 303/556-8494; FAX 303/556-8505, [http://clem.msdc.edu/~eec\\_svcs](http://clem.msdc.edu/~eec_svcs)  
(Serving Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming)

West Ed  
Center for Educational Equity  
4665 Lampson Avenue  
Los Alamitos, CA 90720  
Telephone: 562/598-7661; FAX 562/985-9635, [www.WestEd.org](http://www.WestEd.org)  
(Serving Arizona, California, Nevada)

Center for National Origin, Race, and Sex Equity  
Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory  
101 SW Main, Suite 500  
Portland, OR 97204  
Telephone: 503/275-0664; FAX 503/275-0452, [www.nwrel.org](http://www.nwrel.org)  
(Serving Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, American Samoa, Guam)

**Anti-Defamation League (ADL)**  
**823 United Nations Plaza**  
**New York, NY 10017**  
**800/343-5540**  
**212/490-2525**  
**[www.adl.org](http://www.adl.org)**

With 31 regional offices, ADL is dedicated to combating hate crime and promoting intergroup cooperation and interfaith understanding. Through its

World of Difference Program, ADL develops and provides a large number of training programs, materials, technical assistance and other services to schools and communities to promote intergroup and interfaith understanding. ADL has national offices in Washington, D.C. and New York City and regional offices as follows:

Albuquerque, NM 505/823-2712  
Atlanta, GA 404/262-3470  
Boston, MA 617/457-8800  
Chicago, IL 312/782-5080  
Cleveland, OH 216/579-9600  
Columbus OH 614/621-0601  
New Haven, CT 203/772-1300  
Dallas, TX 972/960-0342  
Denver, CO 303/830-7177  
Detroit, MI 248/355-3730  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 954/779-3090  
Houston, TX 713/627-3490  
Las Vegas, NV 702/862-8600  
Long Island, NY 516/496-0328  
Los Angeles, CA 310/446-8000  
Miami, FL 305/373-6306  
New Orleans, LA 504/522-9534  
New York, NY 212/885-7970  
Norfolk, VA 757/455-9002  
Omaha, NE 402/333-1303  
Orange County, CA 714/979-4733  
Palm Beach County, FL 561/832-7144  
Philadelphia, PA 215/735-4267  
Phoenix, AZ 602/274-0991  
San Diego, CA 619/293-3770  
San Francisco, CA 415/981-3500  
Seattle, WA 206/448-5349  
St. Louis, MO 314/432-6868  
Washington, DC 202/452-8310  
West Orange, NJ 973/669-9700

**National School Boards Association (NSBA)**  
**1680 Duke Street**  
**Alexandria, VA 22314**  
**703/838-6722**  
**[www.nsba.org](http://www.nsba.org)**

Representing 95,000 school board members, NSBA's mission is to further excellence and equity in public schools through local school leadership. Activities include participation in public forums relevant to federal and national education issues, representing school board perspectives before federal government agencies, and providing information and services to school boards throughout the country, including information on activities to prevent and address harassment in schools.

**Educators for Social Responsibility (ESR)**  
**23 Garden Street**  
**Cambridge, MA 02138**  
**800/370-2515**

ESR creates and disseminates publications and programs for teachers and students emphasizing intergroup relations, violence prevention, character education, critical thinking, and social responsibility.

**Teaching Tolerance**  
**400 Washington Ave.**  
**Montgomery, AL 36104**  
**334/264-0286**  
**[www.splcenter.org](http://www.splcenter.org)**

A project of the Southern Poverty Law Center, Teaching Tolerance is a national education project dedicated to helping teachers foster equity, respect, and understanding. Numerous activities and publications are available.

**National Association of Colored People (NAACP)**  
**4805 Mount Hope Drive**  
**Baltimore, MD 21215**  
**410/747-7200**

Among other objectives, the 2200 chapters of the NAACP work to ensure the equality of minority students in school.

**National Council of La Raza (NCLR)**  
**111 19th Street NW**  
**Suite 1000**  
**Washington, D.C. 20036**  
**202/289-1380**

NCLR's Center for Community Educational Excellence works to build community-school collaboration, strengthen the quality of education for Hispanic students, and more effectively involve Hispanic families in the education of their children.

**Aspira Association, Inc.**  
**1444 I Street NW, 8th floor**  
**Washington, D.C. 20005**  
**202/835-3600**  
**[www.incacorp.com/aspira](http://www.incacorp.com/aspira)**

Aspira is a national organization devoted to serving Puerto Rican and other Latino youth through leadership development in conjunction with parent and community groups.

**National Youth Advocacy Coalition**  
1711 Connecticut Ave. NW, Suite 206  
Washington, D.C. 20009  
202/319-7596, [nyac@nyacyouth.org](mailto:nyac@nyacyouth.org)

National organization focused on improving the lives of gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender youth through advocacy, education and information. NYAC's Bridges Project provides resources, technical assistance and referrals.

**Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG)**  
1011 14th Street NW, Suite 1030  
Washington, D.C. 20005  
202/638-4200

Organized in over 400 communities, PFLAG offers support for sexual minority youth who may feel unsafe in their communities because they are the targets of anti-gay attitudes.

**Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund**  
380 Lexington Ave.  
New York, NY 10168  
212/682-3454

National organization committed to achieving full recognition of the civil rights of lesbians, gay men and people with HIV/AIDS through litigation, education and public policy work. Regional offices in Chicago (312/759-8110) and Los Angeles (213/937-2728).

**Gay, Lesbian and Straight Education Network (GLSN)**  
121 West 27th Street, Suite 804  
New York, NY 10001  
212/727-0135

With over 90 chapters nationwide, GLSN is the largest national organization addressing issues of anti-gay bias in K-12 schools. GLSN provides classroom resources as well as workshops and training for school communities to help make schools safe for all students, regardless of sexual orientation.

**National Coalition for Sex Equity in Education (NCSEE)**  
P.O. Box 534  
Annandale, NJ 08801-0534  
908/735-5045; FAX 908/735-9674

Founded in 1979, to provide training and support for gender equity specialists in regional, state and local education programs, NYSEE now

provides leadership in the identification and infusion of sex equity in all education programs and within parallel equity concerns, including, but not limited to, age, disability, national origin, race, religion, and sexual orientation. With an annual conference and newsletter, NYSEE serves as a resource for educational institutions, community organizations, and policy makers.

**National Women's Law Center**  
11 Dupont Circle NW, Suite 800  
Washington, D.C. 20036  
202/588-5180  
[www.nwlc.org](http://www.nwlc.org)

National organization that has worked to advance and protect women's rights since 1972. The Center focuses on major policy areas of importance to women and their families, including education. Recently published two publications on preventing and addressing sexual harassment.

**Center for Democratic Renewal (CDR)**  
P.O. Box 50469  
Atlanta, GA 30302  
404/221-0025

National clearinghouse of information on white supremacist movement; provides training to schools, churches, community organizations, and law enforcement agencies. Over 40 publications available.

**Facing History and Ourselves (FHAO)**  
16 Hurd Road  
Brookline, MA 02146  
617/232-1595  
[www.facing.org](http://www.facing.org)

With regional offices in Chicago, Memphis, Boston, New York and Los Angeles, FHAO provides resources, speakers, workshops and teacher institutes with the goal of teaching students the lessons of history necessary to be responsible and involved citizens. Workshops help teachers to design their own courses or lessons.

**National Education Association (NEA)**  
1201 Sixteenth Street NW  
Washington, D.C. 20036  
202/822-7453

Among other activities, NEA's Human and Civil Rights Division focuses on preventing and responding to hate motivated incidents in schools. Provides training, technical

assistance, and information to NEA's members and the public.

**American Federation of Teachers (AFT)**  
555 New Jersey Avenue NW  
Washington, D.C. 20001  
800/238-1133 ext. 4434  
202/879-4434  
[www.aft.org/humanrights/index.htm](http://www.aft.org/humanrights/index.htm)

The Human Rights and Community Relations Department of the AFT serves as a clearinghouse of information on civil, human and women's rights issues, keeping local and state affiliates informed of current trends and publications, and maintaining relationships with community and civil rights organizations.

**Center for the Study and Prevention of Violence (CSPV)**  
University of Colorado  
Campus Box 442  
Boulder, Colorado 80309-0442  
303/492-1032

Compiles research on causes and prevention of violence. Offers technical assistance for evaluation and development of violence prevention programs.

**National Congress of Parents and Teachers**  
330 N. Wabash Street, Suite 2100  
Chicago, IL 60611  
312/670-6782

Information on school safety issues, including parent initiatives.

**American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee**  
4201 Connecticut Avenue NW  
Suite 300  
Washington, D.C. 20008  
202/244-2990

Committee provides information on hate crimes against Arab-Americans.

**National Asian Pacific Legal Consortium**  
1140 Connecticut Avenue NW  
Suite 1200  
Washington, D.C. 20036  
202/296-2300; FAX 202/296-2318  
[www.NAPALC.org](http://www.NAPALC.org)  
E-mail: [NAPALC@napalc.org](mailto:NAPALC@napalc.org)

Nonprofit, nonpartisan organization whose mission is to advance and protect the legal and civil rights of Asian Pacific Americans. In their efforts to address and prevent anti-Asian violence, the Consortium and its



affiliates monitor and document hate-motivated incidents, publish an annual audit of anti-Asian violence, and provide education to the Asian Pacific American community, law enforcement, policy makers and the general public. Affiliates are:

- Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund  
99 Hudson Street, 12th floor  
New York, NY 10013  
212/966-5932  
E-mail: AALDEF@WORLDNET.ATT.NET

- Asian Law Caucus  
720 Market Street  
San Francisco, CA 94102  
415/391-1655  
E-mail: HN5601@HANDSNET.ORG

- Asian Pacific American Legal Center of Southern California  
1010 S. Flower Street, Suite 302  
Los Angeles, CA 90015  
213/748-2022  
E-mail: APALC@EARTHLINK.NET

**National Center for Hate Crime Prevention Education Development Center (EDC)**  
55 Chapel Street  
Newton, MA 02458  
617/969-7100, ext. 2336  
FAX 617/244-3436  
E-mail: osula@edc.org

Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice Office for Juvenile Justice and Policy Prevention and the U.S. Department of Education's Office of Safe and Drug-free Schools to provide technical assistance, training, and resources to professionals and communities interested in preventing hate crimes.

**Wellesley College Center for Research on Women**  
106 Center Street  
Wellesley, MA 02481  
781/283-2500  
www.wellesley.edu/WCW/

Founded in 1974, the Center is home to an interdisciplinary community of scholars engaged in research designed to generate and shape public policy. Major source of expertise, training, professional development, and publications on sex equity, sexual harassment, gender violence and bullying.

**American Association for Mental Retardation**  
444 N. Capitol Street NW, Suite 846  
Washington, D.C. 20001  
202/424-3688

National organization devoted to furthering opportunities for persons with disabilities. This organization may be able to provide referrals to a range of persons and organizations that can help schools counter harassment of students with disabilities.

**Center for Civic Education**  
5146 Douglas Fir Road  
Calabasas, CA 91302-1467  
818/591-9321  
www.civiced.org/aboutcce.html

Independent, nonprofit corporation with a network of program coordinators and youth chapters in every state. The Center administers curricular, teacher training and community based programs to promote participation in American constitutional democracy. The Center's Youth for Justice, supported by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention in the U.S. Department of Justice, is a national network of programs for all grade levels that involve students in identifying and implementing solutions that will lead to safe, disciplined and drug-free schools.

**Study Circles Resource Center (SCRC)**  
P.O. Box 203  
Pomfret, CT 06258  
860/928-2616

SCRC helps communities use study circles (small, democratic, discussion groups) to discuss and problem-solve on issues such as race, education, and crime. Materials are available for use in middle schools and upper grades.

**Green Circle Program**  
1300 Spruce Street  
Philadelphia, PA  
215/893-8400

Programs developed by Green Circle for students ages 12-18 to promote awareness and appreciation of diversity in school and other settings. Looks at language, stereotypes, and the impact of historical and current events.

**Native American Rights Fund**  
1506 Broadway  
Boulder, CO 80302  
303/447-8760; FAX 303/443-7776

The Native American Rights Fund is a national legal organization dedicated to the preservation of tribal and individual Native American rights, treaty rights, land claims and other issues of vital interest to Native Americans. This organization can provide referrals to regional and local sources of expertise.

**National Indian Education Association**  
700 North Fairfax Street  
Suite 210  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
703/838-2870; FAX 703/838-1620

The NIEA is the nation's oldest and largest organization that advocates primarily for the improvement of education services and opportunities for American Indian and Alaska Natives. The NIEA provides workshops on racial harassment of American Indians, helps to ensure culturally accurate and appropriate curricula in public education settings, and consults on individual problems. The NIEA encompasses a nationwide network of individuals and resources.

